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YOU CAN'T EAT YOUR CAKE AND HAVE IT

But You Can Poach Your Egg and Eat the Hen Later.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 25.—Appreciative of this fact, the poultry specialist of the United States Department of Agriculture say, will add 150,000,000 eggs to our food supply this year without reducing our supply of chicken meat. Investigators have found that because poultry brings 2 cents a pound more in winter than in late spring, many farmers in the South have been throwing away valuable egg profits just to get 8 cents more per hen. They believe that if farmers will keep their laying hens and sell their eggs and then market the birds in the spring, they will not only add to the food supply, but actually increase their profits 50 cents per hen.

Republican Primary Saturday Next

The Republican primary will be pulled off Saturday next, and it has eclipsed all war talk. Candidates and probable vote is all the subject of discussion.

The candidates for nomination are as follows:

For County Judge—L. P. Brewer of Sequachee, and W. F. McDaniel of South Pittsburg.

For trustee—S. L. Rogers of Jasper.

For County Court Clerk—Byron Graham of Whitwell, and E. E. Johnston of Jasper.

For Circuit Court Clerk—S. S. S. Tate of Jasper.

For Sheriff—G. W. Coppinger, of Sequachee, Thomas Foster of Jasper, D. R. McNabb, of Inman, and Dan Kilgore of Whitwell. P. S. Harris of Whitwell, has withdrawn from race.

For registrar—K. D. Curtis of Jasper, W. T. Dugan of Sequachee, and B. W. Skeene of Jasper.

All the races, except for trustee and circuit court clerk where there is no opposition, are exciting, and a big vote will be polled as interest is waxing high.

There are flying rumors of trades and combinations, which, if carried out, may prove disastrous to the party in August. A very large percent of the voters of the party who want a square deal for every candidate and no particular scheme for the election of any one man, propose to see that any move of this kind is rebuked at the polls Saturday.

Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla.

Special to the News.

Getting ready for a ball game is the order of Camp Johnston.

My friend, James Payne, is visiting his homefolks at Whitwell. I wish him a nice time and to see him return soon, for I miss him as much as I do my shoes.

Four boys in our company got discharges. I hope they will get me one, for I would like to come to Tennessee to stay.

I hope James Payne will get to see his best girl at Chattanooga, for he seems to like her very much.

Good-bye to all the News readers.

A. Rookie.

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Notice, Republicans

To the Republican voters of Marion County:

On account of sickness, I have been delayed in getting around over the county. For about six days, I was in bed and have lost that much time in the race for the nomination to be held Saturday, March 2. I have had my name before the people for the nomination of Registrar, and I do not feel that I am a stranger in this county, having been before the people in my former race for this office, and I have made every effort in this race to see as many of the voters as I possibly could, and on the account of having been sick, I was compelled to stay in, feeling that my friends would look after my interest, and I hope that no one will be offended because I have not called on them.

I want to lay my case before the voters of this county for their consideration, and if you find that I have made a good officer and have done my duty as such, then I will appreciate your voting for me.

My office is for inspection to the public, and will be open to any one desiring same. I have tried to give good service to the people and have tried to treat every one fair and square.

I will say to the people of Marion County that if I should get the nomination and be elected in August that I will continue to give good service as heretofore. My records have been kept according to the laws of this state, and if there is any man in this county that has any kick on work I want him to come and examine my books and show me where I have failed to comply with the laws regarding this office. I will appreciate it because I was elected to this office to serve the people and to record their deeds according to law. I have always tried to give prompt service and avoid delays.

I have been living in Marion County most all of my life, and have naturally inherited this county as my home from my parents, my desire is to live and die in this good county of Marion, in the land that where my people have lived and died, and I will venture to say that they were all genuine republicans. I have voted this ticket all of my life and stood by the party and its principles.

Consider my case, and remember me at the election Saturday. What ever you do for me I trust that you will never regret that you did it.

I want to thank the people of this county for what they did for me in my former race, and I will always have a warm feeling toward every one that helped me, and I will say here that I will be just as proud of your vote and help in this race as I was in the former election.

During my term of office, work has been very dull, and the office has not paid as much as a good many people think so, and I will assert that it takes one term to learn how to handle the office and learn to serve the people in the best possible way.

I feel that I am now able to handle this office, and the records are good proof that it has been run in a lawful manner.

With these remarks, I want to ask the people of Marion County to do unto me as they would have me do unto them, and I have the utmost confidence in the people that they will do this. I am going to let the people decide my case, and should I be their choice, then I will most gladly accept it.

And should I not be the man, then, I am for the man who is successful in securing this nomination.

So give my case your thought, and remember me at the election.

Yours very truly,
K. D. CURTIS, Registrar.
Jasper, Tenn., Feb. 27, 1918.

Shirleyton.

Special to the News.

Misses Lillie and Lelia Curtis visited at Victoria from Saturday until Monday.

Misses Rose and Gertie Morrison visited at Mt. Olivet last week.

Sam Griffith called on Fred Morrison one night last week.

Misses Gertrude White and Zetta Smith called on Mrs. Ab Griffith Friday.

Lillie Curtis called on Myrtle Morrison Monday.

Ab Deakins attended the party at Red Hill Saturday night.

Fred Morrison was out horse-back riding Saturday afternoon.

If you want to see Elbert White smile, call him Mose.

Misses Icie Ashburn, Mae Teague and Zetta Smith went to the incline Sunday.

Fred and Myrtle Morrison gave a party Saturday night. A large crowd attended and all reported a nice time.

Mrs. Billie Griffith went to the store Saturday.

Come on "Southerner," of Herrin, Ill. You said there was good looking girls in Tennessee, but the Illinois girls beat them all. They sure are good looking for there are none to equal Tennessee girls. You did not use to say that when you were calling to see a little, white-headed girl at Whitwell.

A certain girl said she would like to see Creed McDonough.

Sam Griffith called at J. R. Morrison's Friday night.

Albert Hudson passed down the road Saturday.

Jim Griffith attended the party Saturday night.

If you want to see Rose Morrison smile, mention a boy at Mt. Olivet.

Herbert Pickett attended the party Saturday night.

Rose and Myrtle Morrison and Sam Griffith made a flying trip to Daus Sunday afternoon.

Goat Hill is not dead but sleeping.

Icie Ashburn was all smiles Sunday.

Come on, "Rookie," of squad 14, Camp Sevier, S. C. We like to read your pieces.

Jim Tate, you had better move your stopping place or that girl will drown you with dish water.

If you want to see Myrtle Morrison smile, ask her what boy is trying to get a pass home.

Come on "Soldier Boy," of Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala. I like to read your pieces.

John Ashburn enjoyed himself Sunday.

W. H. Sanders, who has been working in Herrin, Ill., visited relatives here last week.

I wonder what has become of Walter Phelps as he was not seen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Datus Herron spent Sunday night with J. R. Morrison. The Whitwell Coal Company is progressing nicely. Dave Tate and Will Smith are opening a new entry and Pat Morrison and his son, Fred will start one soon.

Pattie Morrison is at work on the new incline. That is right, Pattie. You are a fine boy. You will soon beat your brother, Fred, and make some pretty girl's heart ache.

Several boys from this place attended the Union Lodge at Whitwell Saturday night.

Carl Deakins attended the party at Red Hill Saturday night.

Gen Ashburn visited in Shirleyton Sunday.

Willie Curtis seemed to enjoy himself Saturday night.

Come on "Dixie," of Rising Fawn, Ga. I like to read your pieces, also "Peggy," of Ringgold, Ga.

Let's hear from more correspondents next week.

Old Maid.

ROOKIE WRITES A LETTER TO MA

Kamp Johnston, Fla., Feb. 10.
Dear Ma: Go but you must not expect much of a letter from me this week cause I ain't in no condition for writin to anyone. Oh Ma but I am some sick little boy and I don't care much whether I die or whether I don't for Ma I just hurts all over at one time, but Ma they say I can't have no fever now but I believe had rather have the fever than what they give me to keep me from havin it. Well Ma the other day our Mr. Canting had us up outside our house and asked us how many had been shot. A whole lot of us what had been here but a short time said we had not. Ma how did they expect us to get shot when we aint never been to battle but there shore must have been a whole lot of these fellers what have been to France for there wasn't many of them that had not been shot. Well Ma I didn't want to get shot just for the fun of the thing so after he had told us to fall out of the line I went to him told him I didn't want to get shot if I could help it. Well he just laffed and said he would see about that. After a while he come to us and said for us to follow him and Ma believe me if I ever did get cold feet it was then. I hated to think about you and Pa and the chilluns worryin about me and he didn't even give us no chance to write no letter about havin to get shot. Well the funeral procession started off and Ma he shore did pick out a nice place to shoot us for he led us to a place what has a whole lot of houses with porches leadin from one to the other, guess that was so they could role away them what gets killed instead of just shot and Ma it was right on the bank of the river so they could throw us in if we died, or at least that was what I thought. I stood there outside the buildings and thot about all the mean things I ever done and Ma I begin to wish that I hadn't said that I hadn't been shot and then I thot about it that if I got killed I couldn't see all the pretty flowers what the people would send but tect as how the people back home might build one of them stone monuments for me like they did for them fellers what got shot when Pa was in the army. Well finally he holloed at me, All right Rookie, you come next. Well my heart got up into my mouth as I started into that buildin and I never thot I would come out again. I got inside and a feller all dressed up in white tole me to take off my coat. I done so and while I was taking it off I asked him if he was the head shooter and he said yes. Then I asked him where he was going to shoot me, and he said in the arm. Well that didn't sound so bad so I decided to let her go and I said to him shoot dook or let them other fellers do so and he held my arm out and took up a little thing what had a sharp point to and before I knowed what he was doin he jabbed it into my arm and Ma I tried to bit him but he dodged out of the way. I asked him what he meant stickin a pin in me and he said I was shot so get out of the way and let another feller get him. I laffed at him cause I didn't hear no gun and but then my arm commenced to hurt and I felt funny an he tole me to get out of the way. Well I went out again and the Captin tole me to go home and believe me I did cause I was getting sick and before long I was shore neff sick and Ma I kinder wished they had shot me but they say I kaint have fever so I guess when I gets all right I will be all right. The fellers say that they don't shoot you no off but that is just a nickename that they call it. Anyhow I can say I got shot when I come home and want no body no no better. But I will have to close now, so tell Pa and the chilluns and everyone else hello for me. I will write again next week. Yore son,
A ROOKIE.

Samuel R. Rust.

The body of Samuel R. Rust was found lying on the roadside near his home at Oak Grove near Tracy City Saturday. Death had resulted from heart disease. Interment was made at the Byrne graveyard near Foster Falls Tuesday. He was about 70 years old.

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P. S.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and State Courts.—F. H. Seeley.

Dallas, Texas.

Special to the News.

Esteemed editor, there was some improvement in the correspondent list of the last issue of the News I was glad to see it. Keep it up friends. It helps the editor and is a source of pleasure to the readers. Make your letters interesting and it makes friends and helps the editor to make the News the most popular paper in the valley.

Since my last letter I have lost one of my best friends by death. About the 11th I received a message that Ed C. Beggs was getting worse. Friday morning I went to see him. He was getting so weak he could hardly talk. His wife told me that he had been asking about me for two or three days. When I had to leave Friday afternoon, I realized that the end was drawing very near. Saturday morning, the 16th, I was telling Mrs. Estes, the lady where I live, about how very bad he was. My telephone rang and I answered and it was a message telling me that Mr. Beggs was dead. I was expecting it, but it was a shock to me that I will never forget. Mr. Beggs was born and raised in Virginia, he leaves a wife and several brothers and one sister, and a host of friends to mourn his loss. He expressed himself as being ready and prepared to go. We should not mourn, but rejoice at the transfer of one from this world to a home in the happy home God has prepared for them that love and serve Him here on earth.

I had a letter from T. S. Bracken, of Arlington, asking me to come over and go to Grapevine and Denton to spend a few days. That's awful tempting to me. I don't know whether I will go or not. I am hardly able to be up. If my doctor says I can go, I guess I will go, and get a little relief from the restaurant. I have only two hours to decide. As ever,
Lone Star.

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Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C.

Special to the News.

Warm weather seems to be the order of the day.

Lots of the boys have the mumps but it don't seem to hurt any of them. Saw a piece in the News from Rising Fawn, Ga. Now I want that girl to please give me her name for she says she wishes to correspond with the boys and girls at Whitwell. I am not in Whitwell, but listen, Dixie, I am from Whitwell and I do love the Tennessee girls and I don't care for telling them, for I have been in the army for almost six months, and I am still loving girls in and around Tennessee, for I know they are better looking than these in South Carolina. The girls in South Carolina look like section men to me.

Thomas Gale Dodson is visiting homefolks in Russellville, Tenn., for six days, as his mother is very ill. Hope she will be all right when he arrives in. Dodson is my bed boddie and he is a good one, but I had rather sleep with J. H. Northcutt's old sow.

I wrote a letter to a girl at South Pittsburg last week, and this is Saturday night and I haven't received any answer. Now, little girl, don't do me that way because I am in the army, for I was drafted. If Uncle Sam had waited for me to join I wouldn't have been here.

Now, if that girl at Rising Fawn, Ga., wants to know who I am she can find out for I sure can't think who she is. I will sign my name at the end of this letter. Now, suppose you write and tell me your name.

Someone was telling me that Pearl Coggins was coming home on a visit. Now, Pearl, you had better write me a few lines if you do come home.

I reckon Miss Beatrice Higgins is dead as she never writes to the paper. I guess she is feeling blue as her best fellow is in another country. Now, cheer up, Bee, you can find another one if he don't come back.

I am sorry to know the whooping cough has got Paul Duke and Leonard Coldwell. Maybe it won't last long for summer is almost here.

I like to read the News, but I had much rather have a letter from some one of the Tennessee girls.

Good wishes to all of the folks of Marion County.

CHARLIE MORRISON,
Aux. Remount Depot, Camp Jackson,
Columbia, S. C.

Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala.

Special to the News.

Well, as it has been a long time since I have written to all of you good people of sweet old Tennessee, I will try to write a few lines while the sun is shining. I got my paper today, and sure was glad to see so many pieces from my friends. Come on, all you writers of Whitwell and Tateville, for I sure do like to read your pieces.

We got paid Friday and it seemed as if all the soldier boys of this camp are enjoying themselves.

Joe F. Morrison says he is going to visit his parents soon.

I was sorry to hear that Mrs. Ellen Morrison, of Tateville, was sick, and hope she will soon recover.

Come on Jim Payne and Roy Jordan, of Jacksonville, Fla., for I sure like to read your pieces.

I wonder what has become of Jim Morrison, of Belton, Ala., as I have n't heard from him in quite a while.

Come on, you people of sweet old Tennessee, and let us keep the News on a boom.

Soldier Boy.

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